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roduction to International Law, so long the standard text-book in the schools of the United States, there have appeared, in this country and abroad, various elementary works on the subject, chiefly designed for use as students' manuals. It may therefore be said that, in order to justify its appearance in competition with these current works, a new book should recommend itself either by originality of treatment or by a discussion of recent developments not to be found in earlier treatises. In point of originality, the volume before us has no special merit. The arrangement of the divisions of the subject follows pretty closely that of T. J. Lawrence, in his *Principles of International Law*. On the other hand, the style is somewhat popular; and while in various places principles are stated inadequately, or with too great an effort at conciseness, in other places they are unnecessarily expanded. Thus, the important subject of domicile, in its relation to enemy character, is disposed of (p. 235) by a sort of implication, in about three lines, while five pages (165-170) are devoted to diplomatic ceremonial. The whole subject of the Laws of War is compressed into 45 pages, which are almost exclusively devoted to the text of the "Instructions for the Government of United States Armies in the Field," the Oxford Manual, the recent American Naval War Code, and certain other documents, which are added as appendices to the volume.

As to recent developments of international law, the authors make suitable reference to the conclusions of The Hague Peace Conference on the Laws of War, and to the practice of the United States and Spain in the late war. But we find no reference to the important case of *The Three Friends*,¹ bearing on the subject of insurgency, nor to the cases of the *Paquete Habana*, and the *Lola*, commonly known as the Spanish Fishing Smacks Case². We are glad to note among appendices a few forms illustrating procedure in prize cases.

On the whole, the book may prove to be serviceable in high-schools and academies, but, without much revision, it must be considered too elementary to supply the needs of students in colleges and law schools.

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¹ 166 U. S. ² 175 U. S.